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For: **APPARATUS AND SYSTEM FOR PROTECTION,
CONTROL, AND MANAGEMENT OF
ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS USING
TIME SYNCHRONIZATION**

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